

Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, AUG. 27, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:24 a. m. and sets at 6:38 p. m. High water at 1:39 a. m. and 2:32 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section clearing and cooler tonight. Tuesday fair and cooler; winds shifting to fresh northwesterly.

Another Elephant Caught.

After an exciting chase and some humorous incidents, another one of Barlow's missing elephants was captured yesterday morning by Major George W. Little (Pawnee Bill) and four of his cowboys on K. Rowe's farm, in Alexandria county, five miles west of this city. Major Little and his men rode to Alexandria Saturday night after their show closed in Washington, and started out for the county at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Two hours later they captured Jennie, the most valuable of the herd of four elephants, and took her across the country to Luna Park, where she was stabled in the Four-Mile Run power house with Tom and Fannie. After the capture Major Little returned to Washington with his horses and men and after placing the horses on the train at Beening instructed his men to return to the park to ascertain whether they could be of any further assistance to Mr. Barlow. At a late hour yesterday afternoon the fourth elephant, Queenie, the Calcutta elephant, which is still missing, was reported in the vicinity of Burke's station, on the Southern Railway main line, eight miles from Alexandria. Yesterday morning Frank Rowe, son of the owner of the farm on which the elephant was found, had a great scare. He ran into one of the elephants in an open field and was chased by the animal a quarter of a mile. During the early morning hours the elephant ran amuck in a hogpen on Mr. Courtland Smith's farm and wrecked it, releasing the hogs.

Floating Gambling House.

A Washington paper of yesterday says: "Almost under the shadow of the dome of the Capitol a well equipped gambling resort is flourishing openly, unchecked by federal, District or State authorities. About six miles down the Potomac, not far from the city of Alexandria, a house boat floats at the same moorings day and night, week in and week out. From the outside it has the appearance of an ordinary but rather capacious river ark. There is nothing in its construction to attract more than casual attention. But the scene within is a revelation to the uninitiated. There is that comparatively limited space, is installed a complete and elaborate gambling plant, furnished not only with the plain devices and paraphernalia used in the various games, but supplied with electrical apparatus and other supplementary means for giving styles and finish to the establishment. Thither resort daily, and especially on Saturday nights and Sundays, crowds of idlers of the green cloth. Many young men and many workmen are among these frequenters. The business conducted there, it is asserted, is steadily enlarging and the ark gives promise of developing into a duplicate Monte Carlo."

[The houseboat referred to above was towed to Washington this morning. It is said that the boat will be placed on the hull of the old steamer Columbia, which has also been taken to Washington.]

Arrested in the Station House.

Arthur Bryant, an engineer on the Southern Railway, and W. D. Trayman, a railway employe, were locked up in the station house shortly after 12 o'clock yesterday morning charged with assault upon Lieut. Smith of the police force. Bryant was later released upon depositing \$50 collateral. Soon after midnight while Lieut. Smith was alone in the station house Bryant and Trayman with two men called. They inquired of the lieutenant as to the number of prisoners confined in the station house. The lieutenant responded that it was none of their business. They then demanded admittance, and, upon being refused, it is alleged, attempted to force their way. Lieut. Smith resisted them and, knocked down two of them whom he locked up. The only reason assigned for the attempt to force entrance to the station house was that one of the men believed he had a brother incarcerated, and desired to assure himself whether or not it was true. L. E. Estes, who is said to have been one of the four men who entered the station house, was arrested yesterday. When the case was called in the Police Court this morning Arthur Bryant could not be found, and he forfeited \$50 collateral. Estes was fined \$25 and Trayman \$10. Lieutenant Smith during his encounter with the men Saturday night was struck on the right eye and painfully injured. There is one of the quarrelsome who made the assault still at large.

Still a Mystery.

The Washington police and the authorities of Alexandria county who are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Jackson Boney, colored, who was found dead last Thursday night in his buggy on Long Bridge, near the Virginia side, with a bullet in his brain, have arrived at no solution of the mystery. Annie Green, a negress, who admits that she was with Boney during the evening, is being held in the Alexandria county jail. She is not regarded by the officers as the murderer, although it is thought she may have been an accomplice in the crime. The motive for the crime, in the opinion of the officers, was robbery. Boney was awarded a verdict for \$1,500 in a suit for personal injuries against the District of Columbia in July last. He had drawn some of the money out of the bank, and just before he was killed, it is stated, he had made another draft on his bank account. One theory is that he was enticed into Virginia and was there killed for the money.

Investigation Tonight.

As has been stated in the Gazette, Mayor Pettie has summoned Chief Engineer Paul Pettie of the fire department to appear before him tonight in order that the former may investigate the action of the chief in soliciting contributions from insurance companies in order to raise a sufficient sum to purchase a horse to be used by him during fires. Chief Pettie will be represented by Mr. S. C. Brent.

The Mount Vernon baseball team of Fairfax county was on Saturday defeated by the Skidoo club of Alexandria on Cat's Field, near Alexandria, by a score of 16 to 5.

Personal.

Mr. Harry Wheat returned last Saturday from his vacation spent at Rawley Springs.

Miss Marie Fannon has returned from a visit to New York and Atlantic City. F. M. Hamilton and family and George T. Caton have returned from Quantico, where they were the guests of the Quantico Fishing and Gunning Club.

The Misses Herbert, of Alexandria, have been visiting Mrs. J. Charles Macgill at her home, at Catonsville. [Baltimore News.]

Mrs. Samuel Bendheim, Miss Minnie Berwanger, and Messrs. Jerome Kaufmann, Henry Steiner and Bertram Schrier have returned from Colonial Beach.

Miss Bessie Jones, who has been visiting Misses Hudgins and Langhorne in Norfolk, has returned to her home, in this city.

J. Ellis Norris, who has just returned from "Virginia, sah," certainly shows the good effect of a vacation. His many friends are glad to see how much improvement there has been in his health. "If he feels as well as he looks, it is the best ever." [Havana Telegram.]

Mrs. C. M. Pickin has returned home after a very delightful visit to friends in Charlottesville.

Mrs. Jessie R. Armstrong and her daughter, Miss Jessie, have returned from a delightful visit to Capon Springs.

Mrs. W. B. Davis has returned from a pleasant vacation.

Mr. J. S. Blackburn, who spent a part of his vacation in Berryville has returned to his home in this city.

Misses Eleanor and Virginia Watkins are visiting the Misses Burch, at Ashburn.

Mrs. Lucy Lunt has returned from Bluemont where she spent the summer. The Misses Goudberger have returned from a pleasant stay at Front Royal.

Mr. R. P. W. Garnett has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Prince William, Caroline and Essex counties.

Lieut. Charles L. Fisher, U. S. A., now stationed at Key West, is on a visit to his brother, Police Commissioner T. A. Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. McCullough, who have been visiting Mrs. George Darley, returned today to their home in Carlisle, Pa.

Mrs. Lena Ennis and Miss Anna Beale, of Baltimore, are the guests of Miss Edith Goodland on North Royal street.

Mrs. Bedford Brown and Miss Mary Ellett have returned from Mt. Elbert.

Mrs. A. G. Uhler and daughter have gone to Luray and Stony Man Camp.

Rev. J. H. S. Ewell and family have returned from Round Hill where they spent the past few weeks.

Mr. A. K. Wood, of Culpeper, is in the city on business connected with the Jamestown Centennial. He is urging the various cities, towns and counties of the State to be fully represented and to send exhibitions there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Kane had "an evening at home" in their home last Tuesday night. The occasion was given in honor of Dr. S. Edward Kane, of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark R. Norris, and party of Alexandria. The affair was closed with the serving of refreshments. [Richmond News-Leader.]

Miss Oceanna Tomlin and Miss Laura Virginia Haynes, have gone to Cotton to spend a month.

Mr. Edgar Warfield and wife have returned from their wedding trip.

Miss Kate Ryan, Mrs. Breen, and Mrs. Zula Hill have gone to Portsmouth to represent Alexandria Division, Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. U. E., at the annual convention of that order, which opened today. Messrs. F. T. Quinn and J. A. Nugent have also gone to Portsmouth to attend the convention.

River Notes.

The yacht Hydrographer, which is attached to the Coast and Geodetic Survey Service, is anchored off the Prince street wharf. The Hydrographer is under command of Capt. Albert Ross, and Messrs. Talbot Pulizzi and Herbert C. Graves, the latter of this city, who are connected with the Coast Survey work are aboard.

Schooners, loaded with canned goods from the lower river, are now arriving at this port.

Mr. Frank Kersey, second engineer of the Washington and Alexandria ferry steamer Woodbury, has resigned to take charge of the engine room of the Smoot Sand Company's tug Eugenia, succeeding Engineer B. Foley, resigned.

The schooner Charles Daiger, loaded with lumber by H. K. Field & Co., has sailed for Coan river.

Marriages.

Mr. Hiram E. Webb and Miss Roberta B. Mea, her, both of this city, were married in Washington on Saturday last at the parsonage of the Mount Vernon Church.

Miss Minnie Lee Kerns and Mr. Frank Kelly were married Saturday night in Grace Church by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will make their home in Alexandria.

Mr. Edward F. Trigger and Miss Catherine Eber were married this afternoon by Rev. Father Kelly at the parsonage of St. Mary's Church. Mr. Trigger is a popular young mechanic and is employed at the Washington navy yard, and Mr. Jas. T. Patterson.

Horse and Buggy Stolen.

A horse and buggy were stolen Saturday night from Mr. Thomas Walsh, of Burgundy, Fairfax county, a short distance southwest of Alexandria. Mr. Walsh had been in this city, and on his return home was stopped at the telegraph road crossing by a freight train that blocked the crossing. After waiting several minutes for the train to move, Mr. Walsh alighted from his buggy and went to hunt up the conductor of the train to have the cars uncoupled. When he returned the buggy and horse were missing, some one having driven off in the darkness in the few minutes he was away.

Was Youngest Soldier.

Mr. B. C. Hall, who is visiting friends and relatives in this city, has the proud distinction of having been the youngest soldier fighting in the cause of the Confederacy in '61 to '65. He has a medal which has been awarded him for this distinction, and he is indeed very proud of the honor. While here he has visited the Crater and other battlefields around this city and Richmond. He now lives at 115 Payne street, Alexandria. [Petersburg Index.]

The Alexandria Trades Council meets tonight.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Walter Weaver and Harry Besch, arrested by Officer Jones for disorderly conduct, were dismissed.

W. H. Johns, W. H. Bryant and Scott Bryant, arrested by Officers Bell and Jones upon similar charges, forfeited \$5 each by failing to appear.

M. D. Edwards and G. M. Michell, arrested by the same officers on similar charges, were fined \$5 each.

Theodore Besch, arrested by Officer Jones for being drunk in the street, was dismissed.

Joshua Williams, colored, arrested by Officer Lyles for disorderly conduct and fighting, was fined \$5.

Arthur Bryant, arrested by Lieutenant Smith for assault, forfeited \$50 by failing to appear.

W. D. Trayman, arrested by the same officer on a similar charge, was fined \$10.

L. E. Estes, arrested by Officers Knight and Nicholson on a similar charge, was fined \$25.

Harrie Burch, arrested by Officers Smith and Bell for being drunk and disorderly and for insulting the officers, was fined \$10.

Ernest Page, colored, arrested by Officer Jones for gambling, had his case continued.

Eliza Lomax, colored, arrested by the same officer on a similar charge, forfeited \$5 collateral by failing to appear.

Six young white men, arrested by Officers Knight, Lyles and Nicholson charged with gambling, were dismissed.

"Slim" Clark, colored, arrested by Officer Henderson charged with gambling, had his case continued.

Charles Williams, colored, arrested by Officers Garvey and Lyles charged with trespass and with stealing a sewing machine, was sentenced to the reform school.

Perry Newby, colored, arrested by Lieutenant Smith and Officer Sherwood charged with disorderly conduct and fighting, was fined \$5.

The Humidity.

The humidity during the past few days has stood at about the maximum. The dampness has permeated everything and an uncomfortable condition of affairs exists in nearly every house in the city. Doors and windows have swollen and are hard to open or shut; paper is falling from walls; furniture is sticky; carpets, curtains and clothing are moulding; and housekeepers are at their wits' end in their endeavor to overcome the difficulty. The weather bureau predicts cooler and drier weather and anticipations are that people will have to grin and bear it. At noon the thermometer registered 85°.

Official Notification.

Mr. James F. Pettit, of the Columbia Fire Company of this city, has received the following:

Richmond, Virginia, Aug. 25, 1906. Mr. J. F. Pettit, Capt. Columbia Fire Co., No. 4, Alexandria, Va.

Dear Sir:—I take pleasure in advising you that your company has been awarded the second prize for having the second largest and best appearing company, and for the firemen's parade. Enclosed find order on the treasurer for \$50, which can be collected through your bank. Kindly acknowledge the receipt. Congratulating you upon your success, I beg to remain, Yours respectfully, JOSEPH L. LEVY, Secretary.

Mares Purchased.

The Board of Fire Wardens have purchased the two gray mares brought to this city Saturday by Mr. R. W. Ballenger. They will be used by the Relief Hook and Ladder Company. The horses were attached to the truck Saturday afternoon and proved satisfactory in every particular. They had previously been examined closely by a veterinary surgeon. The price paid was \$550.

Yesterday.

The weather was rainy and threatening throughout yesterday, and similar conditions existed during the night. At times the downpours were very heavy. The inclemency of the weather kept many people off the streets and from attending the churches, the services of which were conducted according to Saturday's announcements.

Tournament at Luna Park.

There was a tournament at Luna Park this afternoon, which will be followed by a ball tonight. There were forty entries. New attractions will be offered at this popular resort this week.

Freightfully Burned.

Chas. W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical house. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the result: "a quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for Burns, Wounds, Sores, Eczema and Piles. 25c at E. S. Lombard and Sons, druggists.

"Greater Alexandria."—Ask Joe Drew.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

For Sale.
2-story FRAME DWELLING (partly brick) 223 north Royal street, containing 7 rooms and bath.

2-story FRAME DWELLING 314 south Fairfax street, containing 8 rooms; fine lot.

FINE BRICK DWELLING on south Payne street, near Prince, containing 9 rooms and bath. Lot has a frontage of 61 feet and a depth of 100 feet and a deep alley.

For prices and terms apply to

JOHN D. NORMOYLE
Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg., N. E. Cor. King and Royal Streets, Bell 'Phone 224. Capital City 'Phone 124.

FOR RENT.—HOUSE on north Columbus street, 6 rooms and large yard; water in kitchen. Apply on premises, No. 722 north Columbus street. aug27 34

LOCAL BREVITIES.

District Assembly, No. 66, K. of L., will give an excursion to Marshall Hall on Labor Day (Monday next). There will be two boats, which will leave at 10:30 and 11:30 a. m. and 3, and 3:30 and 7 p. m.

The drawing for the coupon to be awarded by the Knights of Columbus in connection with their recent excursion, will take place at the Young Men's Sociality Lyceum Hall on Wednesday next at 8:30 p. m.

Napoleon Baker, colored, of this city, died at a dear Lake a day or two ago. His remains were brought here and interred this afternoon. The funeral took place from Mr. E. Whitley's undertakers' parlors.

The Old Dominion Club and the Lavinia club played a game of baseball on the old fair grounds Saturday afternoon. The game resulted in a victory for the former by a score of 6 to 4.

"Greater Alexandria."—Ask Joe Drew.
Fried Clams 20 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c. Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb28

Wireless Acroplane.

Dr. Alex. Graham Bell's wireless aeroplane, which is attracting the attention of Canadian and American scientists assembled at Brantford, Ont., was given a preliminary test yesterday. Captain Augustin, of Chicago, the navigator, succeeded in rising to a height of 200 feet, turning a complete circle, and alighting safely a few feet from the starting point, with the wireless motors working perfectly. Dr. Bell's flying machine is operated by wireless electricity energy supplied from the earth. If the flight next Tuesday from London to Toronto is a success, scientists predict that wireless locomotion will solve the problem of aerial flight.

Why does the sun burn? Why does a mosquito sting? Why do we feel unhappy in the Good Old Summer Time? Answer: we don't. We use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, and these little pills don't bother us. Learn to look for the name on the box to get the genuine. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

"Greater Alexandria."—Ask Joe Drew.

Best Granulated Sugar, 5c lb.; Large Bag Table Salt 10c lb.; Small Bag Table Salt 10c lb.; New Potatoes, 25c lb.; Dried Beef 10c lb.; 1 lb. best 50c Tea for 30c. Try Arabian Coffee, a 5c Coffee for 20c lb.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON.
Royal and Wolfe streets

THE WHISKY OF OUR FOREFATHERS.

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 35c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. "Phone 85 or drop postal. HARLOW BROTHERS, Canadian and Royal Streets

NOTICE.

Coal is comfort. We are delivering the best grades of newly mined coal, clean and the very best grade at the bottom summer price, to be delivered before July 1st. Leave your orders at:

DEWILTON ATCHESON, 107 south Royal street. Both Phones 96.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S,
Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

During the heated term the store will close at 5 o'clock; Saturdays at 1.

Furniture Repaired and Reupholstered

We would suggest to our customers that this is a seasonable time to have furniture repaired and recovered. We will not only repair and reupholster furniture, but a so store the same until fall, retaining it quite renewed, fresh, and elegant. Our shops not being overcrowded at present, we are better able to offer greater concessions in price.

Mercerized and Figured Armaures and Tapestries, 10 inches wide, in rose, empire green, crimson, and dark blue effects; suitable for general furniture covering.

85c and \$1.25 a yard.

Silk Moire Damask, in plain shades of light rose and olive green; especially suitable for covering fine furniture; also extensively used for portieres and draperies.

\$2.50 a yard. Usually \$3.50.

50-inch Tapestry, in a rich colonial pattern of red and green; desirable for covering furniture or for portieres.

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50-inch Jute Tapestry, in rich shades of green, red, rose, and yellow; suitable for general furniture covering; also for portieres and couch covers.

60-yard. Usually \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50.

60-inch All-Silk Damask, in pink, blue, cream and rose; especially desirable for covering parlor furniture.

\$3.00 a yard. Usually \$5.00.

A manufacturer's samples of Upholstery Art Fabrics, comprising Damasks, Brocades, Tapestries, Velours, Armaures, do. These pieces are in 24-inch squares and in lengths ranging from 14 to 3 yards, and are suitable for covering corner and side chairs, hall chairs, divans, 3-piece parlor suits, sofa cushions, and for fancy work.

\$4 to 4

Less than Regular Price. Our man will readily call and give estimates on all kinds of cabinet and upholstery work.

Fourth floor—G st.

Men's New Fall Half Hose

We are showing a specially good value in Men's Fall-weight Fast Black Cotton Half Hose. They have double soles and spliced heels and toes, and are unusually well made; sizes 9 to 12, inclusive.

Special price, 25c pair.

Main floor—F st.

Men's Sun Umbrellas.

We have just received a new line of Men's Sun Umbrellas, made of good quality tan linen, and lined with light green.

Special price, \$1.00 each.

Pongee Silk Sun Umbrellas, \$5.00 and \$6.00 each.

Main floor—G st. entrance.

Woodward & Lothrop
10th, 11th, F and G Sts., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C.

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF TEAM OF FAIRM HORSES.—I will offer for sale at public auction on SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1906, at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building at 10 o'clock a. m., one pair of good serviceable farm horses.

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ROSENFELD'S

Advance Showing For Fall.

Latest Models in High Grade

TAILOR-MADE SKIRTS

Reproductions of the latest English and French fabrics, plaid and striped effects; novel color combinations; also cheviot, broadcloth and gray mixtures.

GLOVES.

Autumn shipment of Long Gloves just received, on sale at summer prices.

The balance of Summer Goods, such as Wash Goods, Children's Dresses, Women's Waists and Suits, in fact everything in summer goods, cut nearly to half.

ROSENFELD'S,

518-20 King St., Alexandria, Va.

FREE DANCING DURING THE DAY.

PHILIPPINI'S SPANISH BAND.

Free Attractions This Week.

La Noles Bros. Acrobatic Comiques.

Fireworks!

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Coming Week of September 3rd.

The Furious, Flashing, Furor-creating Sensation, Direct from Europe

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AUTOMOBILE

Run by Miss Yvonne Darcy, Who Leaps a Gap of Thirty Feet.

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